



PATENT APPLICATION

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In re application of

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For: CURRENT COLLECTION THROUGH THE ENDS
OF A SPIRALLY WOUND ELECTROCHEMICAL CELL

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.136

Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.136, Applicants hereby petition for an extension of time of two months, extending the time for responding to the Office Action of December 5, 2000 to May 5, 2001. Applicants have paid a one month extension of time fee of \$110.00 with the Amendment on April 5, 2001, so Applicants are paying the remainder of the two month extension of time, which is \$280.00.

A check for the statutory fee of \$280.00 is attached. Please charge any additional fees under 37 C.F.R. § 1.16 or § 1.17 necessary to keep this application pending in the Patent and Trademark Office or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 19-4880. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

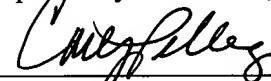
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